



Melvin Murphy

August 3, 1918 - November 23, 2005

Melvin J. Murphy 87 of Dixon died Wednesday November 23, 2005 in the Lee County Rehabilitation and Nursing Center in Dixon. He was born August 3, 1918 in Rockwell Iowa, the son of Michael and Mary (Reis) Murphy. Mr. Murphy had owned and operated Murphy Market in Dixon from 1946 until his retirement in 1996. He was a member of and retired Deacon at St. Anne Catholic Church, Past Grand Knight of Dixon Knights of Columbus council 690. a member and past Faithful Navigator of Father Boland Assembly 1704 4th Degree Knights of Columbus and Past State Warden of the Knights of Columbus. He was the First President of the Petunia Festival Corp. a member of and past president of the Dixon Chamber of Commerce and had served as president of the Dixon United Fund. He was married to Phyllis Hipple in St. Patrick Catholic Church Dixon on April 15, 1941. He was preceded in death by six sisters and six brothers. He is survived by his wife of Dixon daughters Diana (Al) Mundt of Wheeling, IL and Theresa (Michael) Barlow of Grand Prairie, TX one son Michael (Judy) Murphy , Dixon. grandchildren Edward (Linda) Mundt, Elgin, IL, Jeffrey (Peggy) Murphy Dixon, IL Debbie Mundt, Palatine, IL, Jody (Sheila) Murphy, Haldane, IL Cathy (Sal) Napoli Lake Villa, IL Heather (Tom) Shore Rock Falls, IL Tiffany Barlow and Nathan Barlow both Grand Prairie, TX. and 7 great-grandchildren. Funeral Services will be on Monday November 28, 2005 beginning with a 10:00 A.M. Prayer Service in the Jones Funeral Home Dixon followed by a 10:30 A.M. Mass of Christian Burial in St. Anne Catholic Church with the Rev. Michael Morrissey pastor

officiating. Burial is in Oakwood Cemetery Dixon. Visitation is on Sunday November 27, 2005 in the funeral home from 3:00 until 6:00 P.M. with a Rosary at 5:30 P.M. A Memorial has been established. Condolences may be sent at www.thejonesfh.com.

Tribute Wall



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